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BLACKFOOT M. D. COUNCILLORS IN REGULAR SESSION

The ninth regular of the council of the Blackfoot M. D. for this year was held in the municipal office with Councilors D. Nelson, J. MacArthur, Lars Rasmussen, and Wheatley present. Councilor Nelson nominated Councilor MacArthur to act in the capacity of chairman during the absence of the Reeve and Deputy-Reeve from this meeting. Councilor Rasmussen nominated Mr. Wheatley, Mr. MacArthur withdrew his nomination and Mr. Wheatley took the chair.

The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted and Councilor Umbrie was appointed deputy-revee for the balance of this year. A. Griffen, C.P.R. engineer of Strathmore, advised the secretary that he would be glad to discuss any particulars that may arise with the council as a whole or with individual councillors. Mr. Griffen was extended an invitation to meet the council at their next meeting for a general discussion regarding grading, irrigation bridge, and culverts.

The meeting granted permission to Harold H. Leason of Standard T. transfer irrigation waters from the south-west 26-24-22 across the road to the north-west 26-24-22. He is to build the ditch, install the culvert and maintain the grade. An agreement signed by Mr. Leason and the municipality will be completed before any work started.

The trustees of South Valley school district advised that on the 28th August their 1938 collection for this district was increased by \$600. This was a record for the district. The trustees were glad to see the increase. The evidence was that there was a good crop in that district and the taxpayers always did their best to pay their taxes and it could reason ably be expected that collections this fall would be sufficient to take care of this increase.

The question of further experimenting in the eradication of house flies was brought up for discussion. It was decided that arrangement should be made to mould about 100 eggs of land pollution in the weed, "Planting it to be done this fall" and followed by cultivation in coming years by methods to be used.

The meeting adjourned at 4:30 p. m. on motion of Councilor Nelson.

FALL SUGGESTIONS FOR CONTROLLING THE INSECT PESTS

At the request of the officials of the Blackfoot Municipality and the Field Crops Commissioner of Alberta the article below giving instructions on insect pest control is published. It is hoped that everyone whom the insects bother will co-operate and attempt to control them.

Continue to spray poison bait if available to kill adult grasshoppers while laying.

Shallow fall cultivation: Loosen surface soil, grasshoppers will not lay eggs in loose soil. Expose eggs on the surface to the sun and wind. See note below on cutworms.

Deep plowing bury the eggs as fast as the young hoppers cannot reach the surface. This practice is not recommended where soil drifting is prevalent.

Mark areas where eggs are laid and watch until spring. Remember that grasshoppers lay their eggs from about the end of July until frost comes. A single female will lay about 150 eggs during this period. Every female grasshopper destroys this year means less damage next year.

Cutworms, pale western. Do not cultivate summerfallow between August 1st and September 15th because cutworm moths only lay eggs in loose surface soil. Note: where both grasshoppers and cutworms are present, delay fall cultivation until after September 15th.

Wheatstem sawfly. Shallow cultivation of stubble destroys Wheatstem Sawfly grub which winters over in the base of the wheatstem. This can be done anytime before freeze-up.

School Fair Entries Down

The big show is over for another year—that happy annual event for the kiddies and grow-ups too, to meet in friendly competition with the fruits of their labor during the year, in garden produce, culinary arts, needle craft, as well as the youngsters' work in school.

The hall was well arranged and much credit is due those who made the arrangements which afforded ample room to make a fine display of the exhibits. Much credit is due to Mr. Boyd for his untiring efforts in endeavoring to place the association in the front rank.

While the entries this year were not as large as was anticipated, the quality was perhaps even better than in previous years. Details of the results are not at hand at present but will no doubt be published later.

A little more organization and co-operation in the preparations for the school fair would be a step in the right direction. There is no reason why the Gleichen district should not make the finest showing in the province of Alberta. Improved organization would lead to better prizes. It takes teacher plus pupil plus parent of all competing districts to make this the finest school fair in the province.

The association takes this opportunity of thanking the town for the use of the hall, and also to thank Mr. Gorrill and his staff for their untiring labor in making the school fair a success.

TOURIST DOLLARS SPELL PROSPERITY FOR THE COUNTRY

Tourist dollars are the healthiest spent in any country, declared Mr. J. L. Dolan, of Ottawa, director of the Canadian tourist bureau, when addressing a recent meeting of the directors of the Alberta Tourist Association. Mr. Dolan visited the province while in the course of a western tour for the purpose of contacting with officials and representatives of provincial governments. Emphasizing the importance of the tourist traffic, Mr. Dolan said that tourist dollars are spent on the employment of service in the country and the purchase of goods. Whether the centime is a bootblack or a farmer, he benefits from the tourist trade.

Just as soon as the tourist crosses the border into Canada, he became a member of the consuming population and a non-resident tax payer, said the tourist chief.

Mr. Dolan stressed the need of well constructed, dustless highways, and the tourist trade was going to expand in this country. He thought that those responsible for road building in the west were doing a good job with the available funds.

RALPH CONNOR'S GREATEST BOOK TO BE PUBLISHED IN SERIAL FORM

It is seldom that so great a book as Ralph Connor's "Postscript to Adventure" is made available in serial form in a book immediately following its publication. The fact, therefore, that the Family Herald and Weekly Star has secured exclusive publishing rights for this book is indeed interesting news.

"Postscript to Adventure" as many admirers of the late Ralph Connor (Rev. C. W. Gordon) will know, is the last book he wrote, having been completed just before he died. It is an amazing tale built around his lifetime of rich experiences, from his boyhood days in Glenora County, Ontario, to his breath-taking adventures during the World War. Critics have called it his most exciting hero—as thrilling as "The Sky Pilot."

The Family Herald and Weekly Star is to be congratulated on the foresight in purchasing the rights for "Postscript to Adventure," thus making it possible for over a million readers to enjoy this great book long and extensively in serial form. Installments start in the Family Herald this month.

COMING EVENTS
Oct. 1—Junior W. A. Tea and Sale
Browne Home Cooking in Legion Hall 3 to 6 p.m.

LOU MICHAEL IS NOW LOCAL POTATOE KING

Lou Michael, headmaster of the local Tin Founding Academy went into the potato raising business this year with much enthusiasm and as a result has beaten W. W. Brown's record of last year by a mile. The other day Lou presented us with one of the giants produced in his garden and the slip of it staggered us. This beauty topped the scales at 15 lbs (three pounds, make no mistake about the weight). The circumference endwise is twenty-one and a half inches and round the waist, thirteen and a half inches. Can anybody beat that? If you can bring it around and let us see it.

THE WORLD OF WHEAT

By H. G. L. Strang, Director of "Crop Testing Plant"

The shadow of "The Four Horsemen" of the Apocalypse is falling upon us. The chargers are being groomed, saddled and equipped to spread war, hunger, death and destruction.

Should these evil forces be loosed, then the young men, under flying banners and to the strains of martial music, will march bravely to battle. But soon they will find that their flesh is but a poor shield against bullets, jagged shot and shrapnel. They will know the hard choking and blinded death from poison gas. They will experience the gripping dry-throated gas as their companions before them fall and become piles of torn and shattered flesh and bone. They will see once happy homes and gardens made into heaps of muck and rubble.

At home little children will tell, with pride, of the brave deeds of their gallant soldier fathers, but in quiet places day-eyed gentle women will mourn the lost men and will look to a future shattered and empty of hope.

Finally when "The Captains and the Kings depart," there will hang pathetically across the country the burnt-out farmers, trying in vain to distract themselves in a busy world that somehow has forgotten them. Their farms the aftermath of low prices, "A nest of wheat and three measures of barley for a penny," the Scriptures tell us.

Yet throughout the ages has ever rolled the clear but unheeded injunction to man—share the fruits of your toil and of your lands freely with those in need—or suffer war.

How sad, how pathetic, how stupid it all is.

Following factors have tended to raise price: Fear of war in Europe. Reports indicate further Italian crop deterioration. Estimated substantial Dutch import requirements of wheat, corn, barley, rye and oats. Rains needed for ploughing and seeding in Russia and Balkans. Much Russian wheat infected with wheat rust. Reduction in Chinese peasant exports. Mediterranean olive oil production low.

While Western Canada will harvest one of the most bountiful crops in years this fall, it may not be realized by many people in this district that the grasshopper plague took a greater toll in bushels of wheat in the west this year than has occurred for seventy years. Total destruction of wheat by grasshoppers this year is estimated at ten million bushels, and although this amount sounds large, it is really only a trivial percentage of the magnificent Western Canadian crop. The loss, of course, was vitally important to the individual farmers who suffered total crop destruction. While the governments of Canada have done a great deal towards fighting the grasshopper plague annually much more has yet to be done—larger sums of money will have to be appropriated if this pest is going to be conquered. It is assumed in some parts that large clouds of grasshoppers were carried into Canada from the United States during heavy wind storms, and it is possible that not only a dominion campaign, but an international campaign will have to be undertaken in the future if the grasshopper scourge is to be beaten.

"PORTS OF CALL" CHANGE OF TIME

The popular radio program "Ports of Call", sponsored by the Alberta Wheat Pool, will be presented from 8 to 8:30 each Sunday evening commencing September 26th.

Be sure and note the change of time. Stations CFAC, Calgary, and CJCA, Edmonton.

Alberta Wheat Pool

TOWN OF GLEICHEN Property For Sale

Lots	Block	Buildings
13 to 15	A	Garage
26 to 27	A	Residence
31 to 33	H	Residence
6 & 7	M	Residence
2	4	Office Building

Schnepf Property, 22
Information concerning any of these properties can be obtained at the Town Office.

Tenders for the purchase of the above properties will be received by the Secretary-treasurer, Town of Gleichen up till noon September 30th, 1938.

Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. J. PHYTHIAN,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Serving a Great Field

From United Grain Growers' terminal at Port Arthur to that at Vancouver is over 1,800 miles. It is over a thousand miles a straight line from the most easterly to the Company's elevators to the most westerly one. Its most southerly elevator is 500 miles further south than its most northerly elevator. It is a vast area which is served by this farmers' company. Because of the great area served, it has resources, equipment, organization and information enabling it to give every possible protection to the interests of its farmer customers.

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a total revenue of over \$40,000,000 to the Western producer.

The Eastern industrial worker is one of the West's best customers, but he can remain so only when actively employed. Your purchase of a Canadian-built car helps keep him, and his fellow-workers in the parts, steel, paint, glass, chemical and other industries — on the payroll — puts them all in a position to buy more of your goods.

For statistical and further information about this industry, write to Automotive Industries, 1006 Lansden Building, Toronto.

AUTOMOTIVE INDUSTRIES OF CANADA

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that, under the provisions of the Tax Recovery Act, 1935, the Town of Gleichen, will offer for sale by public auction at the Town Office, Crowfoot Street, Gleichen, Alta., on Friday the 30 day of September, 1938, at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon the following parcels of land.

Lot	Block	Plan
27 and 28	1	340B
7 17 and 24	2	340B
1 and 2	6	762N
1 to 6 inclusive	11	762N
7	12	962K
16 to 20 inclusive	20	2650AJ
2	2	834EN

Each parcel will be offered for sale subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs,

and subject to a reserve bid and to the reservations contained in the existing certificates of title.

Terms cash.
Redemption may be effected by payment of all arrears of taxes and costs at any time prior to the sale.

Dated at Gleichen, Alberta, this 25th day of July 1938.

W. J. PHYTHIAN,
Secretary-Treasurer.

HIGH OR LOW GRADE HONEY

(Experimental Farms Notes)
Honey, to the chemist, is essentially a highly concentrated sugar solution. To the consumer honey, is a delicious food direct from nature. It contains, besides the highly nutritive sugars, many other ele-

ments essential to the human body.

Since most honey is marketed in the extracted form, unchanged in composition, is of many different shades of color and has a great variety of flavors. Honey also varies in moisture content depending, to a certain extent, on the weather conditions during the nectar gathering period. The length of time the honey is allowed to remain in the hive before extracting has also a bearing on the density, therefore, the supers should not be removed for extracting until the combs are at least three-quarters covered. During extracting, care should be taken to avoid the honey becoming spoiled in any way. This may happen by the absorption of moisture from the air, so that the drier the honey house the better. Steam should not be allowed to

Town & District

As a passenger train was pulling out of Gleichen Sunday morning an axle on the engine broke. The engine promptly brought the train to a halt and no damage was done. However, the train was delayed for an hour or more until another engine arrived. During the day a staff of repairmen arrived from Calgary with a derrick and fixed the engine up so that it could be taken to the shops for repairs.

Mrs. Irvine, a former resident of Gleichen, died in Saskatchewan during the week end. The remains passed here on the early morning train Monday en route to Edmonton for burial. Many Gleichen people will remember Mrs. Irvine as she lived in town for some months, a year or two ago while her husband worked with the staff of the C.P.R. as telegraph operator. While here deceased acted as secretary for the local branch of the Unity League.

There will likely be a super-abundance of grasshoppers in town next year, judging by the large number of female hoppers to be seen on the streets and gardens. Those who have hoppers jumping around their yards or basking in the sun on the sidewalks nearby would do well to read the article on insect pest control and then get busy. If these hoppers multiply next year in proportion to the numbers to be seen at the present time, we may not have any gardens.

Of interest to all radio listeners will be the appearance over Alberta stations of the well known radio artist, "Smilin' Ed, McConnell." "Smilin' Ed" is famous to the south, and Albertans also are bound to fall victims to his charm and cheery personality, and the magic of his voice, which have made his "Hymetime" program an outstanding feature of the air. In sheer contrast to the "pop" programs so much in vogue, "Smilin' Ed" starts the day serenely with fifteen minutes of hymns and homely philosophy. The millers of Robin Hood flour are sponsoring this program through the winter months, each Monday, Wednesday and Friday morning over station CFAC at 8:30 o'clock.

escape into the air of the extracting room and the windows should be kept closed during damp or rainy weather. Even capped or comb honey stored in a damp place will absorb moisture from the air.

Honey should be heated only sufficiently to facilitate straining. If indeed heating is necessary, the volatile oils which are present in infinitely small quantities are driven off by heat. If these oils, which give honey its fine aroma and flavor, therefore, excessive heat should be avoided.

The texture of granulated honey depends largely on its treatment while in the liquid state. Granulation is retarded by heating and the quicker the granulation the more uniformly smooth the final product. Therefore, after extracting, honey should be stored in a cool, dry place. Carelessness in handling honey cannot be emphasized too much. Honey rapidly deteriorates under careless consumer that is getting a quality product only the carefulness of the producer can give him honey at its

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Featuring

Smilin' Ed, McConnell

MON. WED. FRI.

CFAC, CALGARY, 8:30 A.M.

CIOC, LETHBRIDGE, 8:45 A.M.

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Notice under this heading 15 words or under 50c. first insertion and 25c. each subsequent insertion 3 weeks \$1.00. Over 15 words one cent per word for each insertion.

FOR SALE—One gas engine with pump jack, \$35.00. One set garage doors for opening—1x2, three doors 3x8 with hinges, lock and track complete \$350.00. One Esau Vacuum cleaner like new \$20.00. Apply to L. Michael, Gleichen. 2717

FOR SALE—Hill-roofed barn 12x24, height 20 feet. \$125.00. Apply to W. Sutermeister. 29

FOR SALE — Circulating heater, pipe and stand. Used only one month. Good bargain. Apply A. J. O. Groer, Bank of Commerce. 2617

Notice to Relatives of Persons on the Assessment Roll and to Tenants

Notice is hereby given that during the months of September and October, applications may be made under the provisions of section 188 of The Town and Village Act, for inclusion in the voters' list of the Town of Gleichen by the following persons, namely:

The wife, husband, father and mother and son and daughter of any person whose name appears upon the assessment roll who are entitled to be placed upon the said list—

- if he or she is resident with the said person within the Town or assists him in a business in respect of which he is taxable; and
- if he or she is of the full age of twenty-one years; and
- if his or her name does not already appear on the roll.

Tenants who have rented an assessed parcel for a period of twelve months immediately preceding the last day of August of this year.

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